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In response to the Official Action dated January 3, 2006, please amend the aboveidentified patent application in the following manner.

Amendments to the claims begin on Page 2.

Remarks begin on Page 6.